NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

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DRAFT MINUTES

Date: Wednesday, April 6, 2016

Time: 6:30 pm

Location: Blue Diamond Quonset Hut (on Village Blvd. at Diamond St.), Blue Diamond, NV 89004

CALL TO ORDER

This meeting, being legally noticed and posted in conformance with Nevada Open Meeting Law, was called to order at approximately 6:30 pm by Chair Trent Billingsley.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

ROLL CALL

Board Members present: Chair Trent Billingsley, Barbara Luke, Evan Blythin, Robert Matthews and Pauline van Betten.

REGULAR BUSINESS

1. Introduction of Clark County staff and guests. Meggan Holzer, Liaison to Clark County Commissioners Susan Brager and Larry Brown.

AGENCY & STAFF REPORTS

- 1. Las Vegas Valley Water District; Michael Weintz with guests Chauncey Chau-Dong, Ray Schuth and John Guillory.
- 2. Metro Officer; No report was given.
- 3. Town Liaison; Meggan Holzer turned the meeting over to the "Water" Departments for their presentation.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Our wells the John Hardy North and John Hardy South were the main topics of discussion. The Las Vegas Valley Water District assumed operation of Blue Diamond water from the wells in 1992. It was presented how the water arrives to the aquifer. The level of the wells is directly related to the rate of precipitation. The water is tested monthly and our water is excellent.

There were presentations in regards to water usage. The 4 main players are the Gypsum Mine, James Hardy Gypsum Plant, Blue Diamond and the water trucks (from the Gypsum Mine). All are using water well within their yearly allotments. For example Blue Diamond is allotted 150 acre feet of water per year and last year used 130 acre feet.

There was discussion in regards to our gratitude for the Nevada State Hydrologist who helped in getting repairs made to the "Arden Pipeline". It's been reported there is a higher water flow coming from our Spring into the park.

PLANNING & ZONING

None

ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS

None

CORRESPONDENCE

None

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

NEXT MEETING DATE

April 27, 2016

ADJOURNMENT

8:30 pm.